

# NEXT STEPS IN ACRYLIC PAINTING

Subject Area  
Student Type  
Study Mode

Art & Design, Fashion  
& Creative Crafts  
Adults  
Part Time

## What is the course about?

This course is designed as a follow-on from the Introduction to Acrylic Painting course and will help you further develop your techniques and build confidence in your artistic abilities. Each week, you will use your growing skills to complete a new painting, allowing you to practise and refine your approach.

You will learn how to prepare your canvas, apply a wash, mix colours, and use both brushes and palette knives effectively. The course will also explore how to create a variety of landscape and seascape images, while gaining confidence with tools, materials, and composition.

## Why should I choose the course?

If you have an interest in acrylic painting and would like to develop your skills further, this is the ideal course for you. This course will allow you to unleash your creativity whilst building upon your existing knowledge and practical experience.

## What will I learn?

During this course, you'll gain hands-on experience with a range of painting techniques to bring your creative ideas to life. You'll learn how to select and use different types of equipment, prepare your canvas, apply washes, and confidently mix colours. You'll also explore how to apply paint using both brushes and palette knives to create striking landscape and seascape artworks.

If you'd like more details about the learning outcomes, please email [ACLenquiries@wvr.ac.uk](mailto:ACLenquiries@wvr.ac.uk).

## What will the course lead on to?

After completing this course, you'll have a range of exciting options to continue developing your creativity. You could explore other non-accredited courses at the college such as Watercolours or Drawing & Sketching to further refine your artistic techniques. Alternatively, you might consider enrolling on our [Introduction to Art & Design](#) course, which offers the chance to experiment with various mediums while providing a pathway to our accredited art courses.

## What support is available?

We have a team of staff dedicated to providing learning support if required, as well as a Wellbeing Team that is on hand to offer guidance, support and help when needed. Additionally, eligible students can access a wide range of finance and funding support to help them during their time at college.



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Click here for learning support: <https://wvr.ac.uk/college-life/>

Click here for finance support: <https://wvr.ac.uk/college-life/>

## Why should I choose to study the course at Warrington & Vale Royal College?

Here at Warrington & Vale Royal College we have a team of dedicated, experienced staff who can share their extensive knowledge and skills with you. Learning in a friendly and inclusive environment, you will be fully supported to achieve your goals.

## What are the entry requirements?

You must be aged over 19 and have an interest in the subject area. You need to be willing to partake in classroom activities and discussions and to self-assess your weekly progress using an individual learning plan at the end of each session.

## What are my funding options?

If you are in receipt of a benefit or have a low income you may be eligible for a reduction in fees. For further information on funding please contact Learner Services on 01925 494400 or email [learner.services@wvr.ac.uk](mailto:learner.services@wvr.ac.uk).

## Are there any additional costs associated with the course?

Basic materials including paper are provided. If you need to purchase any further equipment, your tutor will advise during the course.



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